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The Honorable Michael E. Horowitz Chair Council of the Inspectors General on Integrity and Efficiency 1717 H Street, NW, Suite 825 Washington, DC 20006

Dear Mr. Horowitz:

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As you know, the Committee on Oversight and Government Reform is holding a hearing on **Wednesday**, **February 1, 2017**, at 10:00 a.m. in room 2154 of the Rayburn House Office Building.

The hearing will consider challenges inspectors general face when working with federal agencies and departments. The hearing will also discuss recent legislative changes enacted by the Inspector General Empowerment Act of 2016 (P.L. 114-217) and their effect on the inspector general community, and identify areas for future reform.

Though we can only have a limited number of inspectors general testify at the hearing, the Committee is committed to supporting the entire IG community. To that end, we would like to facilitate the attendance of as many inspectors general as possible.

If you have any questions, please have your staff contact Jack Thorlin at the Committee. He can be reached at (202) 225-5074.

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Chairman

The Honorable Elijah E. Cummings, Ranking Minority Member